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Title:

RESOURCE RESERVATION PROTOCOL SUBSTITUTE

REPLY ROUTER, RESOURCE RESERVATION PROTOCOL SUBSTITUTE REPLY SYSTEM AND

RESOURCE RESERVATION PROTOCOL SUBSTITUTE

REPLY METHOD USED IN THE SAME

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated May 1, 2007, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: